

COUNTRY ENTERS UPON NEW ERA

Foss Declares That Time of Destructive Legislative Policies Has Passed.

NO MORE TARIFF JUGGLING

Progressive Democracy Will Oust Political Machines and Do People's Will.

Charleston, S. C., November 30.—A closer union of the States for popular government and the elimination of special privilege and the privilege of the few only basis for constructive national progress was advocated by Governor Eugene B. Foss, of Massachusetts, in an address here to-day before the St. Andrew's Society. He declared the business interests of the country must be put in a constructive business line for the benefit of the people, and that the Republican party had utterly failed in this regard. He outlined the progressive movement of the Democratic party which, he said, had been the necessary result of our national development and declared that the country is calling upon that party to assume the leadership. He declared that the chairman act had failed to safeguard and develop our industrial prosperity, and that it had injured injuriously upon all business. He believed, he said, that each State must now take up the duties of regulating its trade and commerce, instead of leaving this to take its chances with unwise Federal control and legislation, called for a more businesslike direction of public affairs and declared it to be the duty and the opinion of progressive Democracy to establish clean-cut business methods in government as well as in industry and commerce.

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Croup Conquered

Every Mother of Infants Should Read This

When baby has a spasm of croup send for the doctor at once.

In the meantime pour 30 drops of HYOMEL into a kitchen bowl of boiling water and hold the child's head over it. Cover head and bowl with towel so that only the HYOMEL vapor is breathed.

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GOVERNOR KITCHIN REPLIES

Present Methods Must Suffice Till State Finances Are Better.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Raleigh, N. C., November 30.—The sharp criticism of educational conditions in North Carolina by President C. L. Coon, in his annual address before the teachers' assembly to-night while it aroused much interest and applause, brought from Governor Kitchin, when he introduced Hon. Champ Clark, a statement that while he believed the address would do a great deal of good, he felt constrained to take issue with him and advise that it would be best for the State to retain this "variegated patchwork system," as Mr. Coon characterized it, until conditions are more opportune for change and the State finances warrant taking on a new and more appropriate educational program.

He followed this with a tribute to the work of the State Department of Education and the advancement that has been made along educational lines for the past decade and longer. He did this with assurance that he did not desire to attack the position of President Coon, but only to take a look on the sunny side of the educational situation in this State.

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"I should have blacksmith life high schools, carpenter life high schools, and more educational schools," he said, "and more educational schools, the multiplication of small local schools, without system, is a glaring multitude of patches."

He declared that it would take a small revolution to remake the educational system into anything like a harmonious system. He said that he did not work against each other. The average pay of \$13.50 a year for the public school teachers was ridiculed. The high school system, the township system and local tax district system, each with a byword and a jest of that part of the Constitution that requires a uniform system of schools, he said.

Mr. Coon outlined a constructive educational policy. He said the teachers' union should be made a delegated body to the State Department of Education. There should be a State Educational Commission of eight members, appointed by the Governor, on recommendation of the Teachers' Assembly, that should control the licensing of all the public school teachers and control the study, selection of textbooks, revision of curriculum, and be a continuous professional body. Township schools should be reconstructed to afford a seven-grade central school for each, with subordinate elementary schools, with minimum terms of study, longer terms for the central schools, special tax districts should be gradually absorbed into a unified system of taxation, the amount of State aid to be dependent on local effort in the townships.

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